

Inauguration Day Schedule for January 17, 2017

Interfaith Prayer Service

WHAT: Governor-elect Carney and Lieutenant Governor-elect Hall-Long will join attendees at Whatcoat United Methodist Church for a pre-Inaugural interfaith prayer service.

WHO: Governor-elect John Carney

Lieutenant Governor-elect Bethany Hall-Long

Reverend Elmer Davis, Whatcoat United Methodist Church

Rabbi Michael Scott Beals, Congregation Beth Shalom

Father John Hopkins, St. Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church

WHEN: Tuesday, January 17, 2017, 9:00 a.m.

WHERE: Whatcoat United Methodist Church

341 Saulsbury Road

Dover, DE 19904

Inaugural Ceremony of the 74th Governor John C. Carney and 26th Lieutenant Governor Bethany A. Hall-Long

WHAT: The Governor-elect and Lieutenant Governor-elect will participate in a formal ceremony prior to taking the oath of office and giving an inaugural address, respectively.

WHO: Governor-elect John Carney

Lieutenant Governor-elect Bethany Hall-Long

WHEN: Tuesday, January 17, 2017

10:30 a.m. – Prelude

10:45 a.m. – Introduction of the Platform Guests

11:00 a.m. – Ceremony

WHERE: Legislative Hall

Dover, DE

Broadcast on [Facebook Live](#) and [Live Stream](#)

PROGRAM: 10:30 a.m. – Prelude

Delaware National Guard

10:45a.m. – Introduction of The Platform Guests

Delaware State Police Bagpipes

11:00 a.m. – Greeting

Dr. Harry L. Williams – President, Delaware State University

“Ruffles and Flourishes”

287th Army Band, Delaware National Guard

“Stars and Stripes Forever”

CWO 3 Robert Stike, Commander

Nineteen Gun Salute

Delaware National Guard

Presentation of Colors

Delaware State Police Color Guard

National Anthem

Staff Sgt. Naomi D. Scott – 436th Maintenance Squadron, Dover AFB

Invocation

Rev. Elmer Neal Davis Jr.

Administration of Oath of Office to Lt. Governor Bethany A. Hall-Long

Justice James Vaughan – Delaware Supreme Court

Inaugural Address

The Honorable Bethany A. Hall-Long – Lieutenant Governor

“America the Beautiful”

Jack Hanson and Emily Rossi – Members of Delaware’s All State Choir

Administration of Oath of Office to Governor John C. Carney

Chief Justice Leo Strine – Delaware Supreme Court

Inaugural Address

The Honorable John C. Carney – Governor

“Our Delaware”

Alyssa P. Perez – Member of Delaware’s All State Choir

Benediction

Rabbi Michael Scott Beals

Retirement of Colors

Delaware State Police Color Guard

Postlude

287th Army Band, Delaware National Guard

Public Greeting

WHAT: Governor Carney and Lieutenant Governor Hall-Long will greet attendees in a receiving line following the ceremony.

WHO: Governor John Carney

Lieutenant Governor Bethany Hall-Long

WHEN: Tuesday, January 17, 2017

12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

WHERE: Legislative Hall

Dover, DE

Inaugural Celebration

WHAT: Governor Carney will join guests at Dover Downs to celebrate the Inauguration. Prior registration was required for guests. Closed press.

WHO: Governor John Carney

Lieutenant Governor Bethany Hall-Long

Registered guests

WHEN: Tuesday, January 17, 2017

7:00 – 10:00 p.m.

WHERE: Dover Downs
1131 N Dupont Hwy
Dover, DE 19901